



Verification of Conformity

*Boost your exports
Demonstrate compliance of your products*



ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT

Verification of Conformity Program



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SCOPE

VoC PROGRAM

In December 2015, January 2016 and March 2022 the ministry of trade issued decrees 961/2012, 991/2015, 992/2015, 43/2016, 44/2019, 96/2022 and 403/2022 introducing list of products (refer to the datasheet) into the Verification of Conformity program and mandating a manufacturer (along related factories) registration process with GOEIC (General Organization for Export and Import Control).

The Conformity program is managed by the Ministry of Trade and Industry and is implemented by GOEIC. GOEIC recognizes Bureau Veritas Verification certificates issued specifically for this program. This recognition has been made official on GOEIC web site and confirmed by an official letter declaring that Bureau Veritas is accepted and registered as Inspection body that can assess the conformity of goods against the applicable Egyptian standards and issue certificate of inspection (Upon satisfactory VoC process).

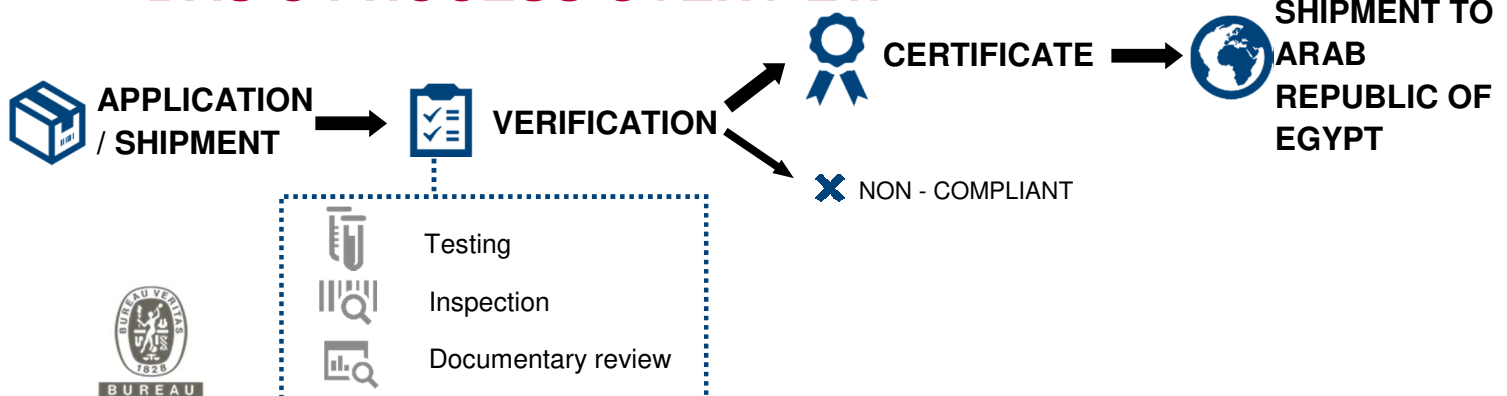
TYPE OF PRODUCTS COVERED

- Cosmetic and hygiene products
- Kitchenware products
- Automotive and transportation
- Construction products
- Electrical products
- Toys
- Liquefied petroleum gas appliances and accessories
- Furniture and personal accessories
- Clothing, Bags & Others

OBJECTIVE

- Protection of the consumer and the environment
- Conformity Assurance
- Swift customs clearance with the appropriate Certificate of Inspection (COI)
- Fight against Counterfeits

BASIC PROCESS OVERVIEW





PROCESS

Step 1 : Request for Certificate

Importer / Exporter lodges an on-line Request for Certificate (available on <https://verigates.bureauveritas.com>) or fills up the Request For Certificate (RFC) form and sends it to a Bureau Veritas local contact (see Contacts sheet). Said request should include:

- List, HS Code, designation of goods intended to be exported, importer / exporter details (name, address, invoice, ...)
- Conformity documents available (ex: Third party certificate, Test reports, Reports of analysis, quality management system certificates...)
- Information related to local and provisional date of availability of goods to carry out their inspection before shipment.

Step 2 : Documentary review / Testing

Bureau Veritas reviews all information provided and checks their adequacy against the Egyptian standards. Laboratory testing / analysis are conducted on samples if necessary.

Step 3 : Inspection

Bureau Veritas checks that:

- Products comply with applicable standards
- Goods presented are those identified during the documentary review
- Goods match their description in the import / export documents
- If necessary, Bureau Veritas inspectors may take samples for additional assessment.

Step 4 : Certificate of Inspection

Bureau Veritas checks the inspection report against the provided documents. Upon satisfactory results, a secured Certificate of Inspection is issued; else, a Non-Conformity Report is produced. Exporters are recommended not to ship their goods prior issuance of the required Certificate.



Find list of contacts and detailed information about the program on <http://verigates.bureauveritas.com>



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